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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2004, Applicants submit herewith a copy of the Amendment filed via facsimile on April 16, 2004.

J. Michael Buchanan was contacted on May 11, 2004 by Tracy Woodson at the USPTO stating that the Amendment and Terminal Disclaimer that was sent on April 16, 2004 was incomplete. Rebecca Blake, Assistant to J. Michael Buchanan, refaxed the Amendment and Terminal Disclaimer in its entirety and received a phone call from Tracy Woodson on May 19, 2004 stating that all documents had been received. In sum, this Response is the third time that Applicants have filed a complete and timely response to the office action dated February 11, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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#### **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2004. It is submitted in accordance with the Revised Amendment Format according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, effective July 30, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application to place the case in better condition for allowance.

### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Claims 1-40 are pending in the present application. Claims 2, 4, and 6 have been canceled without prejudice, and Claims 1, 5, 31, 32, 34, 37, and 40 have been amended, leaving Claims 1, 3, 5 and 7-40 for consideration upon entry of the present Amendment. The claims have been amended as explained in the Remarks section. No new matter has been introduced by these amendments, Reconsideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.